AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

The listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

PENDING CLAIMS AND STATUS THEREOF

1.-53. (Cancelled).

54. (Original) A method of completing a well in a subterranean formation, comprising the steps of: (a) perforating a first zone in the subterranean formation by injecting a pressurized fluid through a hydrajetting tool into the subterranean formation, so as to form one or more perforation tunnels; (b) initiating one or more fractures in the first zone of the subterranean formation by injecting a fracturing fluid into the one or more perforation tunnels through the hydrajetting tool; (c) pumping additional fracturing fluid into the one or more fractures in the first zone through a wellbore annulus in which the hydrajetting tool is disposed so as to propagate the one or more fractures; (d) simultaneous with step (c) moving the hydrajetting tool up hole; and (e) repeating steps (a) through (d) in a second zone of the subterranean formation.

55. (Original) The method of completing a well according to claim 54, wherein the rate of the fracturing fluid being ejected from the hydrajetting tool is decreased during step (d).

56. (Original) The method of completing a well according to claim 54, wherein any cuttings left in the annulus from step (a) are pumped into the fracture during step (c).

57. (Original) The method of completing a well according to claim 54, wherein the hydrajetting tool is kept stationary during step (a).

58. (Original) The method of completing a well according to claim 54, wherein the hydrajetting tool rotates during step (a) thereby cutting at least one slot into the first zone of the subterranean formation.

59. (Original) The method of completing a well according to claim 54, wherein the hydrajetting tool rotates and/or moves axially within the wellbore during step (a) so as to thereby cut a straight or helical slot into the first zone of the subterranean formation.

60. (Original) A method of completing a well in a subterranean formation, comprising the steps of: (a) perforating a first zone in the subterranean formation by injecting a pressurized fluid through a hydrajetting tool into the subterranean formation, so as to form one or more perforation tunnels; (b) initiating one or more fractures in the first zone of the subterranean formation by injecting a fracturing fluid into the one or more perforation tunnels through the hydrajetting tool; (c) pumping additional fracturing fluid into the one or more fractures in the first zone through a wellbore annulus in which the hydrajetting tool is disposed so as to propagate the one or more fractures; (d) simultaneous with step (c) moving the hydrajetting tool up hole; (e) terminating step (c); and (f) repeating steps (a)-(c) in a second zone of the subterranean formation.

61.-64. (Cancelled)

65. (Original) A method of completing a well in a subterranean formation, comprising the steps of: (a) perforating a first zone in the subterranean formation by injecting a perforating fluid through a hydrajetting tool into the subterranean formation, so as to form one or more perforation tunnels; (b) initiating a fracture in the one or more perforation tunnels by pumping a fracturing fluid through the hydrajetting tool; (c) injecting additional fracturing fluid into the one or more fractures through both the hydrajetting tool and a wellbore annulus in which the hydrajetting tool is disposed, so as to propagate the one or more fractures; (d) plugging at least partially the one or more

fractures in the first zone with an isolation fluid; (e) moving the hydrajetting tool away from the first zone; and (f) repeating steps (a) through (c) for a second zone.

66. (Currently Amended) The method of completing a well according to claim ~~66~~ 65, wherein the step of moving the hydrajetting tool away from the first zone comprises moving the hydrajetting tool up hole.

67. (Original) The method of completing a well according to claim 66, wherein the step of moving the hydrajetting tool away from the first zone comprises moving the hydrajetting tool down hole.